

LASSECOCK'S MONTHLY REMINDER

APRIL, 1926.

GARDEN CALENDAR

SEED SOWING—

FLOWER SEEDS.

Sow in Seed Beds or Boxes: Aquilegia, Anemone, Antirrhinum, Brachycome (Swan River Daisy), Calendula (Marigold), Calliopsis, Collinsia, Canterbury Bells, Candytuft, Cerastium, Centaurea, Chrysanthemum (annual), Clarkia, Cornflower, Daisy (Bellis Perennis Monstrosa), Delphinium, Dimorphotheca (African Daisy), Eschscholtzia (Californian Poppy), Forget-me-not, Gaillardia, Godetia, Gerbera, Gladiolus, Gypsophila, Hollyhock, Jacobea, Leptosyne, Lantana, Larkspur, Lobelia, Linaria, Lupinus, Mimulus, Nemesis, Nemophila, Pansy, Poppy (Shirley and Iceland), Pyrethrum aureum ("Golden Feather") for edging, and Hybrid Grandiflora, Phlox, Polyanthus, Pentstemon, Primrose, Ranunculus, Stock, Scabious, Sweet William, Schizanthus, Violet, Viola, Verbena, Vinca, Wallflower (Early Paris).

Sow where the Plants are to Flower: Hunnemannia, Mignonette (Machet), Nasturtium (Dwarf, Tom Thumb), and Sweet Peas.

Bulbs: Plant Daffodils, Narcissus, Tulips, Hyacinths, Ixias, Freesias, Sparaxis, Babianas, Ranunculus, Anemone, Gladioli, Watsonias.

VEGETABLE SEEDS.

Sow Broad Beans, Brussels Sprouts, Cabbage, Carrot, Cauliflower, Cress, Herbs, Leek, Lettuce, Mustard, Onion, Peas, Radish, Spinach, Turnip, Kohl Rabi.

PLANT OUT—

VEGETABLES:—Beet, Cabbage, Cauliflowers, Garlic, Lettuce, Shallots, Tree Onions.

MUSHROOMS:—Procure Mushroom Spawn (Lassecock's have a fresh supply), and plant in prepared beds made up in a shed or in the open.

SEEDLINGS:—Plant out Antirrhinums, Iceland Poppies, Pansies, Violas, Stocks, Verbena, Phlox, etc., for early flowering.

OTHER OPERATIONS.

ROSES.—Prepare ground for planting in April, May, and June. Roses can be planted with safety in autumn after the first rains.

DAHLIAS.—Stake the plants, give more water, disbud for larger blooms, give weekly dose of weak liquid manure, or apply dried blood, bone super, or fowl manure as a top-dressing, and water it in.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS.—Stake the plants, disbud for large blooms, water freely, and give liquid manure.

SWEET PEAS.—Make a general sowing in prepared ground; plant one and a half to two inches deep, surround each seed with clean sand, if procurable, after first chipping or filing off a small portion of the hard skin.

SHRUBS, CLIMBERS, EVERGREEN TREES & HEDGE PLANTS.—Plant all varieties. The deciduous varieties (leaf-shedding) are usually planted in May, June, and July, but they may be planted earlier, even before the leaves have fallen.

LAWNS.—Regularly cut, water, and roll established lawns. Prepare plots for planting roots in spring. Early preparation enables one to get rid of the weeds before the grass is planted. Grass seed (the "Mail" three-grass lawn) may be sown during the autumn and winter in prepared soil.

ORANGES, LEMONS, GRAPE FRUIT, AND OTHER CITRUS FRUITS.—Plant these in the early autumn, whilst the ground is warm.

GLORIOUS GLADIOLI.

Lassecock's have a glorious lot of these favourite flowers, and offer the same in very fine collections, from 5s., 7s. 6d., and 10s. for one dozen named sorts. In mixture of best varieties, 5s. doz.; two dozen for 9s.; 50 for 16s.; 100 for 30s.

"PRINCE OF WALES." The Gladioli which everyone should have. It is the most glorious Gladioli grown. A beautiful shaded salmon, splended large blooms. For decorating or for massing purposes cannot be surpassed. Price, 1s. each; or 9s. dozen; £3 per 100.

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Those marked 6d. can be supplied at 5/- per dozen; at 9d. each, 7/6 per dozen; at 1/- each, 10/- per dozen; at 1/6 each, 15/- per dozen; at 2/- and 2/6 each, 20/- per dozen; at 3/6 each, 30/- per dozen.

COLLECTIONS.—These can be made up to any value to contain one or more of each variety, at special reductions.

America. The famous American shell pink. 6d. each.

Aurora. Scarlet; extra fine. 9d. each.

Autumn Queen. Pink, shaded creamy yellow. 1s. 6d. each.

Baron J. Hulot. A popular variety; deep violet. 6d. each.

Beacon. A fine crimson scarlet self. 1s. 6d. each.

Bleu Celeste. A clear violet blue. 1s. 6d. each.

Bertrex. A fine white. 2s. each.

Blue Bird. Fine light violet blue. 1s. 6d. each.

Brilliant Surprise. Brilliant scarlet. 2s. each.

Buff Beauty. Bright orange, shaded yellow. 2s. each.

Byron L. Smith. Lavender pink on a white ground. 1s. 6d. each.

Blue Jay. Pale blue, large white spot on lower petals. 1s. 6d. each.

Bleriot. Apricot rose, with orange throat. 1s. 6d. each.

Brenchleyensis. Vermilion scarlet. 1s. each.

Brimstone. Light yellow; medium sized. 1s. each.

Captain Fryatt. Beautiful soft red. 1s. 6d. each.

Crimson Glow. Deep scarlet; very fine. 1s. 6d. each.

Conqueror. Delicate dark flesh pink. 2s. each.

Corry. Fine lilac blue. 1s. 6d. each.

Chris. Dark maroon, shaded purple. 1s. each.

Catharina. Lovely blue shade, lower petals a little darker with brownish red spot. 1s. each.

Czar Peter. A fine claret red with markings on lower petals. 9d. each.

Delicate. Beautiful soft pink, centre dark pink. 2s. 6d. each.

Damask. A very pretty shade of rosy pink flaked with darker shade; fine for cutting. 9d. each.

Dawn. A "Groff" large flowering variety; soft salmon with light markings. 1s. each.
Edith Cavell. Pure white, small blue stripes in centre. 1s. 6d. each.
Empress of India. Rich dark brownish red. 1s. each.
Elizabeth Kurz. White slightly flushed pink. 2s. each.
Early Sunrise. Pure salmon. 1s. 6d. each.
Evelyn Kirkland. Dark rosy pink. 1s. 6d. each.
Empress Frederick. Pure yellow, lower petals lightly touched with carmine. 1s. each.
Electra. Beautiful orange red with tiny spot of white on lower petals. 1s. each.
Faust. Deep velvety crimson. 1s. 6d. each.
Flora. Pure yellow self. 1s. each.
Glory of Kennemerland. Vivid rose, yellow throat, maroon marked. 1s. 6d. each.
Glory of Holland. A useful white, faint throat markings. 1s. each.
General De Wet. Decidate apricot rose. 2s. 6d. each.
Golden West. Bright orange with small purplish and golden-yellow spots on lower petals. 9d. each.
Gitano. Deep old rose flaked bronzy violet. 9d. each.
Herada. A fine new Gladioli; pure mauve. 2s. each.
Hilda. Blood red. 1s. each.
Intensity. Intense purple maroon. 9d. each.
Insurpassable. Bright pink shaded silver white; new variety of great merit. 3s. 6d. each.
Imperator. Largest of all whites. 3s. 6d. each.
Halley. Beautiful salmon pink, shaded with paler tint and fine red markings. 6d. each.
Independence. Rich coral pink with darker throat. 9d. each.
Kitty Grullemans. Combination of bright orange and clear yellow. 2s. 6d. each.
Kerenski. Fawn coloured, centre creamy white, red stripe. 1s. 6d. each.
La Franchise. Creamy white, lower petals light yellow shaded violet. 1s. 6d. each.
Lord Nelson. Clear orange, lower petals shaded yellow. 1s. 6d. each.
L'Imacula. A good pure white. 1s. each.
La Remarquable. A dark rosy carmine, velvety throat. 1s. 6d. each.
Lily Lehmann. Ivory white, sometimes flaked with pink. 1s. each.
Loveliness. Pale creamy yellow, carrying a rosy glow. 1s. each.
Lucy. Pure yellow. 1s. each.
Majestic. Beautiful orange pink. 2s. 6d. each.
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Madam Wenholt. Clear sulphur yellow. 1s. 6d. each.
Mrs. John Spoor. Pure golden yellow; very fine. 3s. 6d. each.
Mrs. Dr. Norton. White with edges suffused soft pink. 1s. 6d. each.
Mrs. Francis King. Large orange red flowers. 1s. 6d. each.
Myrtle. Beautiful fringed rosy pink. 1s. 6d. each.
Mrs. F. Pendleton. Soft rose, purple spot. 1s. each.
Marshal Foch. Beautiful clear pink; large flowers. 1s. each.
Master Wietze. Dark shaded violet purple. 9d. each.
Mrs. Kelway. Dainty cream variety with maroon line. 9d. each.
Mr. Mark. Deep blue with dark spot. 1s. each.
Marcia. Soft salmon red with picotee edge of lavender. 9d. each.
Marie Leon. Creamy white flush pink with crimson blotch; a very fine variety. 6d. each.
Marshal Schomburg. Fine light scarlet; vigorous grower. 9d. each.
Nora. Light blue with darker spot in centre. 1s. 6d. each.
Niagara. Large creamy white. 1s. each.
Nestor. Bronzy old rose carrying an undertone of lavender. 1s. each.
Orange Glory. Beautiful ruffled orange, lighter throat. 1s. 6d. each.
Orange King. Large purest orange. 2s. 6d. each.
Pride of Haarlem. Rich shade of salmon cherry red. 2s. each.
Prince of Wales. Beautiful salmon. 1s. each.
Prince of Orange. A fine bright orange; best of its colour. 2s. 6d. each.
Peace. Almost pure white, trace of lilac in lower petal. 1s. each.
Panama. Beautiful pink; lengthy spikes. 1s. each.
Pink Beauty. Rich pink blotched crimson. 1s. each.
Pink Perfection. Beautiful shade of clear soft pink. 1s. each.
Pink Progression. Soft rose; very fine early variety. 1s. each.
Princeps. Brilliant scarlet, lower petals lined white. 9d. each.
Queen of Roses. Pure salmon rose with wine red blotch. 2s. 6d. each.
Red Emperor. Bright deep scarlet; extra large flower. 1s. 6d. each.
Red Canna. Bright red of enormous size. 1s. each.
Rose Pearl. Clear pink with darker blotch. 1s. each.
Schwaben. Yellow; one of the finest. 1s. each.
Tea Rose. Salmon pink shaded orange. 2s. 6d. each.
Violet de Parma. Fine violet shade feathered white. 2s. 6d. each.
White Giant. One of the finest of all giant whites. 1s. each.
War. Deep blood red; fine spikes. 9d. each.
Washington. Deep pink; extra fine. 9d. each.
Willy Wigman. Creamy white with soft carmine blotch. 9d. each.
Yellow Hammer. Yellow; not a very large flower. 1s. each.
Venus. Creamy white. 1s. each.
Finest Mixed, 5s. dozen; 30s. 100.

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Dainty, slender stemmed Gladioli, beautiful for Vases.
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Fire Queen. Splendid bright scarlet. 1s. 6d. each.
Gala Beauty. Delicate brown and yellow. 2s. 6d. each.
Golden Bell. Clear yellow. 1s. 6d. each.
Goldfinch. Pure golden yellow. 1s. 6d. each.
General Botha. Orange shaded dark bronze. 1s. 6d. each.
Hermione. Orange salmon. 1s. each.
Hesperia. Clear salmon. 1s. each.
Jaune D'Obuf. Apricot with shade of green. 2s. each.
Jane. Salmon yellow. 1s. 6d. each.
Kenau Hasselaar. Light yellow. 1s. 6d. each.
Laetitia. Salmon rose; very fine. 1s. 6d. each.
L'Unique. Creamy yellow overlaid with shade of bronze. 1s. 6d. each.
La Charmante. Yellow.
Mrs. Grullemans. A most attractive pure golden yellow. 1s. 6d. each.
Madam Petain. Soft rosy lilac flushed silver lilac. 3s. 6d. each.

Marjoletta. Beautiful orange red with yellow centre. 2s. 6d. each.
Maiden's Blush. Delicate pink. 1s. each.
Niobe. Bright orange. 1s. 6d. each.
Orange Brilliant. A very fine attractive variety. 1s. each.
Reine Victoria. Deep pink shaded with rose. 1s. each.
Souvenir. A very fine yellow. 1s. each.
Sunrise. Buff yellow shaded orange. 2s. 6d. each.
Triumph. Brownish red shaded yellow. 1s. each.
Thecla. Sulphur yellow. 1s. each.
Vesuvius. Cherry red with greenish yellow throat. 1s. 6d. each.
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 Finest Mixed, 5s. dozen; 30s. per 100.

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Specially grown seed from the raiser's original packets. Guaranteed to give splendid results for both exhibition and Garden purposes.

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A full description of the varieties will be found in the February "Reminder."

HEDGE PLANTS.

The autumn planting of hedge plants gives good results. I can supply excellent material for planting. The following varieties are stocked:—

Carob (*Ceratonia Tiliqua*)—This makes a magnificent evergreen hedge, and is very hardy. Plant four to five feet apart. 20/- per dozen.

Ceanothus—When well clipped this makes one of the most ornamental hedges. It bears large quantities of blue flowers, which make it very effective. Plant three feet apart. In pots, 20/- per dozen.

Coprosma Lucida—Makes one of the handsomest hedges, its bright leaves being always shining green, not holding the dust; quick growing and hardy. Strong plants in pots, 10/- per dozen; 60/- per 100.

Cupressus Torulosus—A very pretty ornamental hedge. Plant three feet apart. 2/6 each, 30/- dozen.

Cupressus Lambertiana Horizontalis—One of the most beautiful hedges in cultivation. It is very hardy and immune from disease. The main stem (or leader) of each plant should be tied to a stake when planting, and allowed to grow to within six inches of the ultimate height of the hedge before it is clipped. Plant four to five feet apart. In pots, 35/- per dozen. Special plants, in six inch pots, 45/- dozen. In seven inch pots, 65/- dozen. In eight inch pots, 85/- dozen. Extra fine plants, five feet and over in height, in nine inch pots, 105/- dozen.

Cupressus Lambertiana Horizontalis Aurea—A beautiful golden variety. Fine plants, 3/6 each. Special extra sized plants, in six inch pots, 5/- each.

Cupressus Macrocarpa—Makes a very good, compact hedge. Price, 1/6 each; 15/- dozen.

Duranta Plumieri—A neat-growing evergreen plant, bearing clusters of purplish blue flowers. 1/6 each, 15/- dozen.

Duranta Ellisii—This particular variety of *Duranta* is specially recommended. It is a remarkably quick grower if given right soil conditions and attention to watering, and is free from thorns. *Duranta Ellisii* is one of the finest shrubs in cultivation. 1/6 each; 15/- dozen.

Kaffir Apple—3/6 dozen; 20/- per 100.

Laurustinus—Very useful for a small hedge. Plant two feet apart. 1/6 each; 15/- dozen.

Plumbago Capensis—This makes a very showy and pretty flowering hedge, blue flowers; also can be had in white. Plant two feet apart. 1/6 each; 15/- dozen.

Rhamnus Alaternus—This makes a dense hedge when well trimmed, but it is a somewhat slow grower. 2/6 dozen; 15/- per 100.

Spartium Junceum (Yellow Broom)—Will make a fine ornamental hedge if kept well trimmed. In pots, 15/- per dozen.

Tagasaste (Tree Lucerne)—2/6 dozen; 15/- per 100.

Tecoma Capensis—A fine red-flowering hedge, very hardy, and recommended by the "Mail" as a most desirable hedge when kept regularly trimmed. 1/6 each; 15/- dozen.

BEAUTIFUL WATSONIAS.

Watsonia Alba. 3d. each; 2s. 6d. dozen. Fine for cutting.

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Named Varieties. 3d. each. All 2s. dozen.

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EXTRA FINE MIXED. 1s. 6d. doz.

RANUNCULUS. DOUBLE PERSIAN.

Named Varieties. 3d. each. All 2s. dozen.

CRAMOISE A-COEUR VERT.

Crimson.

FIREBALL. Scarlet.

JAUNE SUPREME. Yellow.

ORANGE BRILLIANT. Orange.

QUEEN VICTORIA. White striped.

QUEEN OF THE NETHERLANDS.

Black.

SCOTCH (Picotee). Striped.

ZWARTE KONING (Black King).

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RANUNCULUS. DOUBLE TURBAN.

Named Varieties. 3d. each. All 2s. dozen.

GRANDIFLORUS. Red; yellow striped.

HERCULES. Pure white.

MERVEILLEUSE. Orange-yellow.

ROMANO. Scarlet.

SERAPHIQUE. Citron.

SOUCI DORE. Brownish, orange

Spotted.

TURBAN D'OR. Orange.

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Twenty different sorts, 240 bulbs, for 36s. post free.

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IXIAS.

These are fine for cutting purposes, and give flowers of various shades in Scarlet, White, Yellow, Green, Orange, Purple, etc. Produced on light, graceful stems in great profusion. 2d. each; 1s. 6d. dozen.

IRIS.

Iris Stylosa. A beautiful Blue and Mauve shade. They bloom in winter, when flowers are scarce. Very dainty for table decorations. Roots, 1/- each.

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MIXED POLYANTHUS VARIETIES. 2d. each; 1s. 6d. dozen.

BEAUTIFUL DAFFODILS.

Emperor. The beautiful rich self yellow; large Trumpet variety. 4d. each; 3s. 6d. dozen.

Princeps. A fine Bicolor. Pale lemon. Trumpet Daffodil. 2d. each; 1s. 6d. dozen.

Sir Watkin. The popular variety of the Incomparabilis or Chalice-cupped section. Rich sulphur-yellow. Perianth yellow, cup tinged with orange. 4d. each; 3s. 6d. dozen.

Mixed Daffodils. A fine assortment of good varieties. 3s. each; 2s. 6d. per dozen.

Try growing some of these inexpensive Daffodil varieties in jardinières filled with damp moss or fibre.

ANEMONES.

St. Brigid (extra large flowering). 2s. dozen; 15s. per 100.

Double Mixed. 2s. 6d. dozen; 17s. 6d. per 100.

Finest Single. 1s. 6d. dozen; 10s. per 100.

DARWIN TULIPS.

A beautiful variety in mixed colours. 4d. each; 3s. 6d. dozen.

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